

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY SEOUL

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8835

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FOR EA AND PM

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: MILARR, RP

SUBJECT: DEACTIVATIONS OF SERGEANT MISSILE BATTALION IN KOREA

COMUS KOREA IS PROCEEDING WITH DEACTIVATION OF SERGEANT  
MISSILE BATTALION (3RD BN 81ST ARTILLERY), TO BE COMPLETED  
BY SEPTEMBER 30, 1976. CURRENT SITE (CAMP COLBERN) WILL  
BE TAKEN OVER BY AN HONEST JOHN UNIT (1ST BN, 81ST ARTY).  
NO ANNOUNCEMENT PLANNED BUT CONTINGENCY PRESS  
GUIDANCE, FOR USE ON IF ASKED BASIS, BEING PREPARED FOR  
TRANSMISSION SEPTEL. EMBASSY PERCEIVES NO OBJECTION TO  
PHASE OUT OF THIS OBSOLETE WEAPON BUT WISH TO BE SURE  
DEPARTMENT IS INFORMED. ROK DEFMIN WAS INFORMED BY CINCUNC  
AND HAS RAISED NO OBJECTION.  
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